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**Draft decision submitted by Vice-President of the Council Tiina Intelmann (Estonia) on the basis of informal consultations**

## Theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of the 2009 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council

The Economic and Social Council decides that:

(a) The theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of its substantive session of 2009 would be "Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian assistance: present challenges and their impact on the future";

(b) It would convene two panels, the topics of which would be:

(i) "Respecting and implementing guiding principles of humanitarian assistance at the operational level — assisting the affected populations";

(ii) "Addressing the impact of current global challenges and trends on the effective delivery of humanitarian assistance".

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Draft decision submitted by the President of the Council, Sylvie Lucas (Luxembourg), on the basis of informal consultations on the proposal by the Executive Secretaries of the regional commissions

# Theme for the item on regional cooperation of the 2009 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council

The Economic and Social Council decides that the theme for the item on regional cooperation of its substantive session for 2009 will be "Regional perspectives on the global economic and financial crisis, including the impact on global public health".

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Draft decision submitted by Vice-Presidents of the Council Carmen Maria Gallardo Hernández (El Salvador) and Tiina Intelmann (Estonia) on the basis of informal consultations

# Economic and Social Council event to discuss transition from relief to development

The Economic and Social Council decides, with regard to the event to discuss transition from relief to development, that:

(a) The title of the event will be "Economic and Social Council event to discuss transition from relief to development";

(b) The event will be an informal activity held in the afternoon of 17 July 2009;

(c) The event will consist of one panel discussion and there will be no negotiated outcome.

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**Basic programme of work of the Council**

**Draft decision submitted by Vice-President of the Council Hamidon Ali (Malaysia) on the basis of informal consultations**

## Theme for the 2010 thematic discussion of the Economic and Social Council

The Economic and Social Council decides that the theme for the thematic discussion of the high-level segment of its substantive session for 2010 will be "Current global and national trends and challenges and their impact on gender equality and empowerment of women".

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**Draft decision: Canada and Peru**

## Appointment of an additional member of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti

The Economic and Social Council, recalling its resolutions 2004/52 of 23 July 2004, 2005/46 of 27 July 2005, 2006/10 of 26 July 2006, 2007/13 of 25 July 2007 and 2008/10 of 23 July 2008, and its decision 2004/332 of 11 November 2004 and having considered the letter dated 20 March 2009 from the Permanent Representative of Peru to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Economic and Social Council,[1] decides to appoint the Permanent Representative of Peru to the United Nations as an additional member of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti.

[1] E/2009/49.

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